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VOLUME III. ROCK-ISLAND, SATURDAY DECEMBER 23, 1843. NUMBER 32.

FOR SALE.
3 BAND 5 Pail Sugar Kettles, for most kinds of produce, or cash, which will not be objectionable, by E. WHISLER.
Feb 11, 1843.

School Books.
A complete assortment of School & Blank Books for sale, also writing paper, quills and wafers, by J. M. MOORE.
May 31st, 1842.

POWDER Shot and Lead, for sale by WHISLER.

15,000 BUSHELS of corn wanted by E WHISLER.

BAR IRON AND NAILS.
10 TONS assorted Juniata Iron and 25 kegs do. do. Nails for sale by BAILY & BOYLE.
Nov. 2, 1843.—26,

6 DOZEN Painted buckets for sale at WHISLERS.

GLASS, 8 by 10, 10 by 12, and 10 by 14, for sale low at WHISLERS.

NAILS and Glass, lower than have been offered heretofore, at WHISLERS.

BLANK DEEDS and Justices' blanks for sale at this office.

TAX LIST.

A List of Lands and other real estate situated in the county of Henry, and State of Illinois, on which the taxes remain due and unpaid for the year 1842.

TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners	Description	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Arch'ld Slaughter	Unknown	ne sw four	40	120	66
Abel Jones	do	wh sw thirty one	69:90	260	1 51
David Lambertson	do	nw se thirty three	40	160	88
David S. Hatett	do	eh sw thirty three	80	320	1 76
David Lambertson	do	wh sw thirty four	80	320	1 76

TOWNSHIP 15 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners	Description	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Kilburn & Buell	Unknown.	nw three	197:37	592	3 25
same	do	wh sw four	88:30	265	1 46
same	do	se five	174:08	522	2 87
William Burke	do	wh nw five	81:20	233	1 56
same	do	eh sw five	80	240	1 32
same	do	sw sw five	40	120	66
Giles Richards	do	sw seven	158	474	2 53
same	do	wh nw seventeen	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh se seventeen	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh ne seventeen	80	240	1 32
George Davenport	do	eh nw seventeen	80	240	1 32
Edward H. Fowler	do	ne eighteen	160	480	2 64
John G. McCloud	do	sw eighteen	157:20	472	2 60
same	do	eh se eighteen	80	240	1 32
George Davenport	do	wh se eighteen	80	240	1 32
same	do	ne nineteen	160	480	2 64
same	do	sw nw nineteen	40	120	66
Pillsbury, & others.	do	sec. nine	357	1071	5 69
same	do	se twelve	160	480	2 64
same	do	nw fifteen	160	480	2 64
same	do	nw twenty three	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh ne twenty four	70	350	1 93

TOWNSHIP 16 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners	Description	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Benedict & Whitmore,	Unk'n	ne one	161:54	485	2 07
Oakly & Wilcox	do	wh one	320	960	5 28
same	do	nh two	320	960	5 28
Charles Oakley	do	se four	160	480	2 64
same	do	sw four	160	480	2 64
same	do	ne five	160	480	2 64
Benedict & Whitmore	do	wh nw six	83:21	250	1 37
David Bartholemew	do	nh seven	320	960	5 28
Byard Barnes	do	se seven	160	480	2 64
same	do	nw nine	160	480	2 64
Benedict & Whitmore	do	ne eleven	160	480	2 64
Charles Oakley	do	ne twelve	160	480	2 64
Kilbourn & Buell	do	sh fourteen	320	960	5 28
same	do	ne thirteen	160	480	2 64
same	do	sh fourteen	320	960	5 28
same	do	nw fourteen	160	480	2 64
William P. Rogers	do	nw fifteen	160	480	2 64
Joseph Smith	do	sw fifteen	160	480	2 64
John Gillett	do	sw nineteen	145:15	436	2 40
same	do	eh twenty	320	960	5 28
same	do	wh twenty one	320	960	5 28
Kilbourn & Buell	do	eh twenty two	320	960	5 28
same	do	eh twenty three	320	960	5 28
same	do	nw twenty three	160	480	2 64
same	do	sw twenty four	160	480	2 64
same	do	sw twenty six	160	480	2 64
same	do	eh sw twenty seven	80	240	1 32
Byard Barnes	do	wh sw twenty seven	80	240	1 32
same	do	eh twenty eight	320	960	5 28
William Lozall	do	eh thirty one	320	960	5 28
Conway Whittle	do	sw thirty three	160	480	2 64
Kilbourn & Buell	do	eh thirty four	320	960	5 28
same	do	sw thirty four	160	480	2 64

TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners	Description	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Ebral Camp	Unknown	eh ne one	81:71	245	1 34
Sewell Foster	do	wh se one	80	240	1 32
William Burke	do	sw one	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh ne two	86:53	260	1 40
Giles Williams	do	eh se 2 & eh ne 2,	165:44	498	2 73
James V Stephens	do	eh sw ten	10	30	17
Sewell Foster	do	se eleven	160	480	2 64
Baker & Brand'burg (Oakly)		eh ne twelve	80	2400	13 20
William Burke	Unknown	se twelve	114	342	1 88
Sewell Foster	do	nw twelve	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh nw thirteen	80	240	1 32
William Burke	do	ne thirteen	160	480	2 64
Sewell Foster	do	eh nw fourteen	80	240	1 32
Oakly & Wilcox	do	sw thirteen	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh se thirteen	80	240	1 32
Sewell Foster	do	eh ne thirteen	80	240	1 32
Oakley & Wilcox	do	sh fourteen	320	960	5 28
same	do	eh nw fourteen	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh ne fourteen	80	240	1 32
same	do	se fifteen	160	480	2 64
James W. Stephens	do	wh nw fifteen	80	240	1 32
Baker & others	do	wh nw nineteen	44:37	133	73
same	do	wh ne nineteen	67:51	203	1 12
same	do	ne ne nineteen	34:51	104	58
Oakley & Wilcox	do	wh sw 19 & se sw 19	91:80	275	1 51
same	do	se ne nineteen	40	120	66
J. D. Corson	do	se ne twenty	40	120	66
Anthony Hunt	do	nw ne twenty	40	200	1 10
Josiah H. Case	do	eh se twenty	80	240	1 32
Giles Williams	do	eh sw twenty one	80	240	1 32
same	do	eh twenty two	320	960	5 28
Oakley & Wilcox	do	eh twenty three	320	960	5 28
Giles Williams	do	wh ne twenty four	80	240	1 32
same	do	sh twenty four	240	720	3 96
Oakley & Wilcox	do	ne twenty five	135	375	2 07
same	do	sw twenty five	160	480	2 64
same	do	sh twenty six	320	960	5 28
same	do	sw twenty seven	160	480	2 64
same	do	nh twenty eight	320	960	5 28
same	do	sh twenty eight	320	960	5 28
same	do	eh ne twenty nine	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh ne twenty nine	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh nw thirty	61	183	1 00

TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST.—(Continued.)

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Oakly & Wilcox	Unknown	wh thirty one	320	960	5 28
same	do	ne thirty one	160	480	2 64
same	do	se thirty two	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh ne thirty two	80	240	1 32
same	do	nw thirty three	160	480	2 64
same	do	sh thirty three	320	960	5 28
same	do	sh ne thirty three	80	240	1 32
same	do	sw thirty four	160	480	2 64
same	do	ne thirty five	160	480	2 64
same	do	sw thirty five	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh thirty six	320	960	5 28

TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Scott & Gilmore	Unknown	wh sw two	80	240	1 32
John Atchison	do	eh ne thirteen	20	60	33

TOWNSHIP 15 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Pillsbury & others	Unknown	ne three	174	522	2 87
Ithamar Pillsbury	do	nw three	168	504	2 77
same	do	wh [illegible]	80	240	1 32
Pillsbury & others	do	wh nw eight	80	240	1 32
same	do	se nine	160	480	2 64
same	do	sec. fourteen	274	722	4 00
same	do	wh fifteen	305	915	5 03
same	do	sh seventeen	225	675	3 71
same	do	sw eighteen	162	486	2 67
same	do	wh ne eighteen	50	150	83
John Butler	do	eh nw nineteen	57	285	2 07
same	do	nw nw nineteen	14	42	23
Bennet Nowlen	do	wh ne nineteen	40	200	1 10
Pillsbury & others	do	eh ne nineteen	65	325	1 79
same	do	se nineteen	158	869	4 78
George Campbell	do	wh ne twenty	48	144	79
Pillsbury & others	do	nw twenty	157	550	3 02
same	do	eh ne twenty	35	140	77
same	do	ne twenty three	85	255	1 40
same	do	se ne twenty one	40	120	66
same	do	nh twenty four	240	720	3 96
John Atchison	do	sw twenty two	160	480	2 64
John Butcher	do	ne nw twenty eight	40	150	66
Ithamar Pillsbury	do	ne twenty eight	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh ne twenty nine	80	240	1 32
William Neff	do	ne thirty four	160	480	2 64
John Atchinson	do	se thirty five	160	480	2 64

TOWNSHIP 16 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Charles McCay	Unknown	nw eleven	160	480	2 64
Kilbourn & Buell	do	sw seventeen	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh ne seventeen	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh eighteen	333	999	5 49
same	do	ne eighteen	160	480	2 64
same	do	se twenty	160	480	2 64
John Morse	do	sh twenty eight	320	960	5 28
Kilbourn & Buell	do	wh twenty nine	320	960	5 28
same	do	eh se twenty nine	80	240	1 32
same	do	sec thirty	584:59	1753	9 64
same	do	nw thirty one	177:31	531	2 82
Phœbe Miller	do	eh nw thirty two	80	240	1 32

TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH RANGE 2 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Giles Williams	Unknown	eh se one	78:92	237	1 30
Arba M Seymor	do	wh sw two	80	240	1 32
Giles Williams	do	eh sw three	80	240	1 32
same	do	eh se three	80	240	1 32
James D Taber	do	wh sw three	80	240	1 32
Aaron B Church	do	wh sw three	84:09	252	1 38
James D Taber	do	se sw three	40	120	66
Giles Williams	do	ne 3 & eh nw 3	257:02	771	4 24
Aaron D Church	do	eh ne four	86:60	260	1 44
Solomon Penney	do	wh nw four	85:40	341	1 8[illegible]
same	do	ne five	85:72	257	1 4[illegible]
David Trusdel	do	se five	160	480	2 64
Allen Clark	do	sw six	189:24	568	3 12
same	do	nw se six	40	120	66
Charles Oakly	do	wh nw eight	80	240	1 32
David Trusdell	do	eh ne eight	80	240	1 32
Richard E Barrett	do	wh se eleven	80	240	1 32
same	do	sh se seventeen	80	240	1 32
Henry Sullivan	do	nw sw seventeen	40	120	66
William Burke	do	eh sw seventeen	80	240	1 32
James M Allen	do	wh nw seventeen	80	240	1 32
John H Sullivan	do	wh ne eighteen	80	240	1 32
same	do	nw se eighteen	40	120	66
George Brandenburg	do	ne se eighteen	40	120	66
Richard Crocker	do	eh ne eighteen	80	240	1 32
Sewell Foster	do	wh nw eighteen	80	240	1 32
Oakly & Wilcox	do	ne nineteen	160	480	2 64
William Burke	do	eh nw twenty	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh ne twenty	80	240	1 32
Oakley & Wilcox	do	eh ne twenty	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh ne twenty one	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh se twenty one	80	240	1 32
Jacob Leonard	do	nh twenty four	320	960	5 28
C. Kingsman	do	eh se twenty four	80	240	1 32
H. Johnson	do	wh se twenty four	80	240	1 32
Isaac Leonard	do	sw twenty five	160	480	2 64
same	do	se twenty six	160	480	2 64
Oakly & Wilcox	do	sw twenty eight	160	480	2 64
same	do	nw twenty eight	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh se twenty eight	80	240	1 32
same	do	nw twenty nine	160	480	2 64
same	do	eh thirty	320	960	5 28

TOWNSHIP 18 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Joseph M. Robertson	Unkn'n	nw thirty three	37:20	112	62
Giles Williams	do	eh se thirty three	158	474	2 64
same	do	ne thirty three			
Charles Atkinson	Ukn'n	wh se thirty three	80	240	1 32
Samuel Ogden	do	eh se thirty four	80	240	1 32
Giles Williams	do	sw thirty four	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh se thirty four	80	240	1 32
same	do	eh sw thirty five	80	240	1 32
same	do	nw thirty five			
same	do	wh ne thirty five	144	432	2 38
same	do	nw thirty five	89	267	1 47
Samuel Ogden	do	wh sw thirty five	80	240	1 32
same	do	nw se thirty five	40	120	66
Philip R. Hanna	do	ne se thirty five	40	120	66

TOWNSHIP 18 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST—(Continued.)

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Philip R. Hanna	Unknown	nw sw thirty six	40	120	66
Charles Jack	do	sw sw thirty six	40	120	66
Giles Williams	do	wh nw thirty six			
same	do	wh ne thirty six	96:03	288	1 58

TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
John Atchison	Unknown	nw six	27:76	83:28	46
same	do	ne six	48:82	146:46	81
same	do	eh [illegible] seven			
same	do	eh sw seven	107:10	321:30	1 77
Neely Withrow	do	wh se nine	80	240	1 32
I Brumbridge & others	„	sw one	160	480	2 64
Joseph L[illegible]t	do	nw ten	160	480	2 64
Preston Browning	do	nh sw seventeen	80	240	1 32
Thomas Grane	do	ne eighteen	160	480	2 64
Reuben Coe	do	se eighteen	160	480	2 64
James Edwards	do	nw twenty three	160	480	2 64
David Durkee	do	nw twenty seven	160	480	2 64
Ebenezer Kent	do	nw twenty nine	160	480	2 64

TOWNSHIP 15 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Cushing, & others	Unkn'n	nw three	53:88	164:53	89
same	do	ne four	61:07	153:21	84
Jacob Barton	do	sw eight	160	480	2 64
Demick Brewer	do	nw nine	160	560	3 0[illegible]
Elijah Conee	do	sw fourteen	160	480	2 64
Ira Willard	do	wh ne eighteen	80	240	1 32

TOWNSHIP 16 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Joseph P Brown	Unknown	eh ne one	80:07	240:21	1 32
same	do	wh ne 1 & eh nw 1,	157:58	471:54	2 59
James G. Higgins	do	wh nw one	77:51	232:53	1 28
Sylvanus Crook	do	ne two	160	480	2 64
Robert L Hanuaman	do	sh ten	320	960	5 28
Parmach Owen	do	se twelve	160	480	2 64
D Chilson & Wiswell	do	eh se thirteen	80	240	1 32
G C R Mitchell	do	se seventeen	167:60	502:80	2 76

TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Charles Jack	Unknown	wh se four	98:07	294:21	1 62
Richard F Barrett	do	ne five	171:52	514:56	2 83
L & M F Stimpson	do	sw five	40	120	66
Martin B Scott	do	eh se five	80	240	1 32
Bartlett, Stuart & Ward	do	se eight	150	480	2 64
John Allen	do	eh nw nine	80	240	1 32
Cromwell K Bartlett	do	wh nw ten	45	135	74
Arba M Seymor	do	se sw ten	40	120	66
same	do	wh sw ten	80	240	1 32
John Cady	do	wh ne eleven	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh nw twelve	80	240	1 22
same	do	eh nw fourteen	80	240	1 32
same	do	sw fourteen	160	480	2 64
Sewell Foster	do	wh ne fourteen	80	240	1 32
same	do	se fourteen	160	480	2 64
John Cady	do	se fifteen	160	640	3 52
Sewel Foster	do	sw twenty three	160	480	2 64
Andrew Taylor	do	eh ne thirty six	6	30	16
Joseph P Brown	do	eh sw thirty six	80	280	1 54
Charles Jack	do	wh nw thirty three			
Hiram Wentworth	do	eh se eleven	80	320	1 76

TOWNSHIP 18 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Charles Jack	Unknown	wh sw thirty three	142:61	427:83	2 35

TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Robert B. Smith	Unkn'n	sw two	160	480	2 64
Robert Piper	do	se ten	160	480	2 64
John Cooper	do	se twelve	160	480	2 64
Ares M. Leary	do	sw thirteen	160	480	2 64
James Hardin	do	nw fourteen	160	480	2 64
Asa Abel	do	se fourteen	160	480	2 64
Eleazer Webber	do	se eighteen	160	480	2 64
John Morgan	do	ne twenty one	160	480	2 64
Aaron H. Hoit	do	sw twenty three	160	480	2 64
William Hutchins	do	sw twenty four	160	480	2 64
Israel Gilman	do	ne twenty six	160	480	2 64
William Boswell	do	nw twenty eight	120	360	1 98
Harvey Slater	do	ne twenty nine	160	480	2 64
William Wiseman	do	sw twenty nine	160	480	2 64
John Waddel	do	se thirty	105	315	1 73
Edward Dawson	do	ne thirty three	160	480	2 64
John B. Stropes	do	sw thirty three	160	480	2 64
John Woolman	do	sw thirty four	160	480	2 64
Joshua Harris	do	nw thirty five	160	480	2 64
Daniel Gray	do	se thirty five	160	480	2 64

TOWNSHIP 15 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Francis Nepler	Unknown	ne thirteen	160	480	2 64
Lemuel Carson	do	eh se twenty four	80	240	1 32
John E. Pissello	do	se thirty six	160	480	2 64
Telly King	do	nw thirty three	160	480	2 64

TOWNSHIP 16 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Charles Jack	Unknown	sw three	160	640	3 52
Elihu Chauncy	do	se 6 & eh sw 6	231:72	695:16	3 28
Geo. W Dewey	do	nw se seven	40	120	66
same	do	sw seven	145:20	435:60	2 40
Elihu Chauncy	do	eh nw seven	72:48	218:44	1 20
same	do	eh ne seven	80	240	1 32
same	do	eh se seven	80	240	1 32
Stephen Trickett	do	eh ne nine	80	240	1 32
John Atchison	do	wh ne eleven	80	400	2 20
Richard F Barrett	do	wh eleven	80	240	1 32
Jeremiah Prather	do	nw sw twelve	40	120	66
same	do	wh nw twelve	80	400	2 20

TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Sewell Foster	Unknown	se sw eight	40	120	66
Joseph P Brown	do	wh sw eight	80	240	1 32
Jacob Bellimack	do	sw seventeen	160	480	2 64
Sewel Foster	do	eh nw seventeen	80	240	1 32
Webber & Harrison	do	sec nineteen	605:17	1815:51	9 99
J B Merrick	do	nw twenty	160	480	2 64
Sewell Foster,	do	sw twenty	160	480	2 64
same	do	wh nw twenty nine	80	240	1 32
same	do	eh nw twenty nine	80	240	1 32
Joseph P. Brown	do	wh nw thirty	73:08	219:24	1 21
Sewel foster	do	eh ne thirty	80	240	1 32
same	do	wh ne thirty	80	240	1 32
Andrew Tayler	do	wh nw thirty one	04:84	14:52	08
Lester H Fuller	do	eh nw thirty one	72:84	218:52	1 20
T H Warren	do	wh sw thirty one	59:32	177:96	99

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TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 5 EAST.

Patentees.	Unknown and Present owners.	Description.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.
Harris Miner	Unknown	sh se thirty four	21	62	34
TOWNSHIP 15 NORTH, RANGE 5 EAST.					
Henry Kemmerling	do	ne five	148.31	441.93	43
same	do	wh ne twenty	80	240	32
Cornelius Briant	do	nw sw twenty two	40	120	66
same	do	ne twenty three	160	480	2 64
Kingeman & Johnson	do	nw twenty three	160	480	2 64
TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH, RANGE 5 EAST.					
Thomas Baker	do	nw twelve	160	480	2 64
George C Coulton	do	wh se thirty	50.82	152.46	88
same	do	wh nw thirty two	80	240	1 32

TOWN Lots in Morristown, entered by C. Oakley & C. C Wilcox—Present owners unknown.

Bl'k.	Lot.	Val.	Tax.
1	1	5	03
	2	5	03
	4	5	03
	6	5	03
	8	5	03
	12	6	04
	13	6	04
	17	5	03
	19	5	03
	21	5	03
	23	5	03
	24	5	03
2	3	5	03
	4	5	03
	5	5	03
	6	5	03
	8	6	04
	9	6	04
	11	5	03
	12	5	03
	13	5	03
	14	5	03
3	2	5	03
	3	5	03
	4	6	04
	5	6	04
	6	6	04
	7	6	04
4	1	6	04
	3	5	03
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	8	6	04
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	11	5	03
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	13	5	03
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	17	5	03
	18	5	03
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	24	6	04
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	14	10	06
	15	10	06
	16	15	08
9	1	12	07
	3	10	06
	6	20	12
	8	20	12
10	2	10	6
	4	12	7
	5	20	12
	6	20	12
	7	20	12
	8	20	12
11	3	6	01
	4	6	04
	5	6	04
	6	6	04
	8	10	06
	9	15	08
	11	10	06
	12	8	05
	13	8	05
	14	8	05
12	1	5	03
	2	5	03
	4	5	03
	6	5	03
	8	5	03

Bl'k.	Lot.	Val.	Tax.
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	148	10	06		155	10	06
	170	10	06				

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an application will be made to the Circuit Court of Henry county, at the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in said county, on the third Monday of May next, for judgment against the above and foregoing described Lands and Town Lots, for the Taxes, Interest and Costs, due thereon, for the year 1842, and for an order to sell the same for the satisfaction thereof; and all the said lands and town lots against which Judgment shall be pronounced and for the sale of which such order shall be made, will be exposed to public sale on the SECOND MONDAY next succeeding the term of said Court, at the Court House in said County, for the amount of said taxes, interest and costs, due thereon for the year 1842; and continue from day to day till all are sold. ☞Cost on each tract, or lot of land, is four cents.☜

JAMES D. TABER, Col'r Henry co.
December 23, 1843.

THE undersigned, proprietor and publisher of the "Upper Mississippian," a weekly newspaper printed in the town of Rock Island, county of Rock Island, and state of Illinois, hereby [illegible] the foregoing advertisement for the public sale of lands and town lots in the county of Henry, and state of Illinois, was duly printed and distributed in single numbers of said paper according to law. The number of transcripts so published corresponds with the number of papers published for the week Dec. 23, 1843.

DANIEL CRIST, Publisher.
Dec. 23, 1843.

THE UPPER MISSISSIPPIAN

SATURDAY....DEC. 23, 1843.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

We are happy to have it in our power to lay before our readers the annual Message of the President at an earlier day than usual, which we issue upon a separate sheet, in consequence of our first page being taken up [illegible] Henry county tax list. For its early reception, we are indebted to the Hon. J. P Hoge, our Representative in Congress.

From a hasty perusal, and setting aside party feeling, we cannot but look upon the Message before us as superior to any former one that has emanated from our "accidental" President. His views are given in that candid and lucid manner which should characterize the Chief Magistrate presiding [illegible] free and independent people. It is entirely free from that party bearing which is too often seen in executive messages, and we cannot but hope that both Houses of Congress will follow in his "footsteps" so far as to throw aside that spirit of party infatuation and selfishness by which they suffered themselves to be carried away, during the last session, and attend to the business entrusted to their charge, instead of wrangling about whether Tip was Ty, or Ty was Tip—which looked more like a boo-and-peep game of school boys, than "servants of the people," who were working for wages at the tune of "eight dollars per diem." The greater part of the whole of the last session was spent in worse than idleness, and at its close the executive was left to "stop the wheels of government," or drag it along in that rickety condition in which it was left at the adjournment of Congress. We allude to the repeal of those laws which were then in force, and leaving the operations of the Treasury department resting upon the act of 1798, and the resolution of 1816.

With regard to the annexation of Texas to the Union—a subject upon which the people generally, we believe, looked for with more than usual earnestness—the President it would seem has entirely *dodged the question*. In alluding to the "wars and rumors of wars" which for many years Mexico has waged against Texas, the Executive speaks of her as an independent Republic; and should the Mexicans continue to harrass and distract her citizens as heretofore, he believes it to be the duty of our Government to aid Texas in putting an end to the unholy warfare. As a reason for taking such a step, the President informs us in his message, that, "by a decree of the 23d Sept., and after six months from the day of its promulgation, all foreigners are forbidden to carry on the business of selling by retail any goods within the confines of Mexico." Another movement has been made which "wears a harsh and unfriendly aspect" towards our government, as well as Texas. The trade heretofore carried on by our citizens with Santa Fe, has suddenly been arrested by a decree of virtual prohibition on the part of the Mexican Government. The firm and decided language used in the message towards the Mexicans may be sufficient to teach them that Uncle Sam will not suffer himself to be trampled upon.

It will be seen that "the receipts into the Treasury for the calendar year 1843, exclusive of loans, were little more than eighteen millions of dollars; and the expenditures, exclusive of payments on the pub[illegible] will have been about twenty-three millions of dollars." This makes the expenses of the government about five millions more than the receipts, during the year.

The message again urges upon Congress the wishes of the Executive with regard to the issuing of Treasury notes of denominations not less than five, nor more than one hundred dollars, to be used as a currency in lieu of gold and silver. We doubt not that this proposition will be as quickly vetoed by Congress, as was the bank bills by the President. Would they but take up all such subjects in a spirit of good will, and go about their business like men, some good might be done the government, and the people would not be left to feed upon straw while "their servants" live upon the fat of the land.

The President it will be seen, congratulates Congress upon the happy condition of the country, compared with its prospects while both the government and the people were struggling to throw off the burdens which broken banks and a depreciated currency had brought upon us, and attributes our present prosperity mainly to the effects of a well administered administration. No doubt he has helped in the matter; but in this part of the country, the people have become "prosperous" only by accommodating themselves to their circumstances, instead of the administration. By this means, they have occasionally been enabled to bob their heads above water and keep along with the tide as it ebs and flows. Whether we shall "sink or swim" depends mainly upon our individual exertions, as our currency, while it is HARD to come at, consists of "creeping things and other wegetables," and is hoarded up for supplying our wants and our appetites, rather than for revenue.

With these remarks, we leave our readers to read the message and make such comments as they may think proper.

☞ We learn that the Ladies in our town are busily engaged in forming a Society, with the view of aiding in the completion of the Church lately commenced in the upper part of our village. The object is a commendable one, and success cannot but attend the enterprise. The Ladies have accomplished much in other towns with their needles and their smiles, and we hope their industry and their labor will be equally rewarded in our little villa. Union and harmony should attend every effort to add to the convenience and growth of our place, and more especially when engaged in those works whose object is the spread of the gospel and the adoration of the Supreme Being.

☞ During our temporary suspension in the summer, several of our most valuable exchange papers dropped off. Whether we were given over as past recovery we know not; but we can assure those who bid us adieu, that our little barque is again riding upon the waves, with ourself at its helm, endeavoring to steer athwart the breakers with the greatest possible care for the safety of those who have committed themselves to our care, as well as a due regard to the interests of the "underwriters." We can discover landmarks ahead very distinctly, but since those brighter lights which shone in the distance, have disappeared, we have been obliged to "watch" with greater diligence, and to repeat our "soundings" with renewed activity, in order to keep in the wake marked out by the "big ships" which are ahead of us. We doubt not we can grope our way along, but as our journey may be protracted by rough winds and high seas, we will again ask you respectfully to insert our name upon your "log books," so that we may occasionally get a glimpse at the "lights" by which you are guaided. We bespeak, for our present purpose more particularly, the renewal of the visits of the Saint Louis Republican, and the St. Louis Evening Gazette. We must not in the mean time forget to say to these of our friends whose houses are "chinked" with Clay, that the "Republican" has been completley "overhauled;" its timbers have been torn out, and new ones replaced, the "RATS" driven out, its "hull" considerably enlarged, and its whole exterior presents an elegant and beautiful appearance, and is well deserving of the extended patronage which it receives. In a word, it is one of the most valuable political and commercial papers in the Union. The "Gazette" also has been enlarged and otherwise improved—and, with the name of its editor newly painted upon its silken Flag(g), is striving hard to outstrip its neighbors in point of speed and reckoning. It is neutral in politics, contains the latest news of the day, and is a valuable literary and commercial journal. Those wishing to examine either of the papers named, will please call at our office in about ten days, when we hope to find them lying upon our table.

There, gentlemen, are we not entitled to an "exchange!"

REDUCTION OF POSTAGE.

We had hoped that the attention of the President would have been called, in his late Message to Congress, to the subject of reducing the postage on letters, &c. The press, for a long time, has spoken out plainly, and it should be brought before our National Council in such a manner as that some action may be had upon it. It is a subject in which the people themselves, each and every one, are more or less interested, and upon which we have heard but one expression—and that is a reduction of at least one third. We say, let a trial be made, and if properly made, we believe the amount of revenue received by the post office department would be augmented rather than lessened. The franking privilege also should be so reformed as that its abuse would be less frequent. As it now is, it is too often subvarted and its use extended to those who have no claim upon it privileges.

WHIG STATE CONVENTION.

By the Sangamo Journal we have, at large, the proceedings the Whig State Convention, holden at Springfield on the 11th inst. We regret that the crowded state of our columns precludes us from giving even in a condensed form, its particulars in our present number. The Convention was well attended, and the greatest harmony and unanimity prevailed throughout its entire proceedings. The Journal says that, in point of numbers and talent, *it far exceeded any thing of the kind ever before witnessed in Illinois.* The following named gentlemen were nominated by the Convention as candidates for Electors of President and Vice-President at the coming election in 1844:

Senatorial Electors,

ABRAHAM LINCOLN, of Springfield.

L. LILSE SMITH, of Chicago.

District Electors,

1st.	JOSEPH GILLESPIE,
2d.	EDWIN B. WEBB,
3d.	U. F. LINDER,
4th,	J. J. BROWN,
5th.	D. M. WOODSON,
6th.	NATHAN'L BELCHER,
7th.	WILLIAM BROWN.

ROCK RIVER BRIDGE.—Our readers will be pleased to learn that arrangements for the erection of a permanent bridge are already in a state of forwardness; and the subject seems to command that attention by our citizens to which it is justly entitled. We have before us the proceedings of a meeting held at the court-house on the 4th inst. but for want of room we cannot give it entire. At that meeting three Committees were appointed—one for the purpose of soliciting aid from the County Commissioners, one for soliciting subscriptions from the citizens of this and the adjoining counties, and the other for receiving plans and proposals for the building of said bridge.—We are informed by one of the soliciting Committee, that the amount of subscriptions already obtained from individuals, mostly in town, is something over *three thousand dollars.* This, added to the $1500, subscribed by the County Commissioners, in behalf of the county, amounts to *forty-five hundred dollars.* This is a very favorable commencement, and shows plainly that our citizens are awake in the matter. Now is the time to move effectually. Every citizen is interested in the erection of a bridge at that point—those upon the south side of the river as well as the north. Rock-Island being the county seat, it is not only necessary that the river should be passable at all times, for the transaction of business, but the crossing should be made *free*, so that persons can come and go at their leisure. In no other way can this end be accomplished, than by the erection of a bridge. Those persons also who have property in this immediate vicinity, are deeply interested in the undertaking. We say to one—to *all*, your aid is needed.—Come forward and throw in your mite. If is but small, it will be thankfully received. It is not necessary that you should bring money, but any thing will be received that can be turned to good account.

THE WEATHER.—Most of our readers are already informed of the state of the weather "at home," but for the benefit of our distant subscribers we will observe that the winter in this region thus far has been uncommonly variable, and at this time, and for more than a week past, the weather has been exceedingly mild. The Indian Summer having been nipped in the bud by Jack Frost, we may look for a much more broken and open winter than was our last. The frost is now out of the ground, and the river free from ice, or nearly so. New-Englanders, how stands the weather gage in your region, among the snow-drifts?

☞ We gave notice in our last, that an election for Treasurer and Assessor would take place on the last Saturday of January next.—We know of no one who will offer himself as a candidate for the office; but we should think if Mr. Belcher will consent to his name being used, the people of the county will not fail to give him their support, as he has made an excellent officer in the capacity of assessor for the last two years.

☞ Several communications are on file, and will claim our attention next week.

"Honey's" poetry on Love is too sweet for our palate. We advise the author to swallow his communication and commit, not suicide, but—matrimony. Give us any thing but love sick poetry. "Them's our sentiments."

"Meditations by Barba Yorghi" will appear ere long.

Rock River Slough--Joe Knox.

In answer to the two applications for a road across Rock River Slough—one by Vandruff and others—and the other by Sullivan & Moyer. We think the Commissioners acted wisely in appointing or selecting but one set of viewers for both routs, viz: Messrs. *S. L. Britten, Wm. Bell, and Geo. D. Parmenter.* They are all men of sound judgment, and we have no doubt will do what is right.

Mr. Bell, is said to be under Knox's influence; but we think this is a mistake, for he has the reputation of being an honest man, and an honest man will not suffer himself to be dictated by to *any* person.

The allusion here relative to Mr. Knox, some may think uncalled for;—we think differently—if we are correctly informed, Mr. Knox thought proper to bring our name before the Commissioners in his "*decency*" or rather INDECENCY remarks, respecting the numerous signers which were on Sullivan and Moyers petition on the Vandruff's road case, where he said that Sullivan and Moyer's remonstrance, (which was signed by about 250 as good citizens as Rock Island county can boast,) "was signed by a *weak* minded people who had suffered themselves to be *deceived*, to be *gulled*, and *fooled* by Sullivan & Moyer, and a few others." We will tell you, Mr. Knox, that we do not claim the credit which you endeavored to impress upon the Commissioners, that we were the ostensible person for the numerous signers to the remonstrance, we signed the remonstrance and there left, and we will further tell you, that many of those signers are equal to Joe Knox in intelligence, and *far superior* to him general character. We should think such left handed compliments, from such a *gentleman*, were not likely to lessen the "*hatred of Joe Knox,*" which he also assigned as a reason why the remonstrance was signed so generally. Be this as it may, we assure Mr. Knox, that we have no hatred against him, and why he should attack us, we know not, nor do we care, for we have never given him any reason for so doing. Joe Knox must not think that he is the Toparch of the county, to ride rough-shod over community, and *make* people think *just* as he does.

It must grate harshly on an arrogant spirit like Knox's, to see the time rapidly approaching, when his connexion with any undertaking in which he is so deeply *self*-interested shall be an assurance of its failure He will, no doubt, however, think that to-day there are still *some* men who tremble at his frown,—"to-morrow none so poor as to do him reverence."

☞ Over two colums of the editorial in our present number have been put in type from memory, without the scratch of a pen; and we hope the little inaccuracies which may occur will be readily overlooked.

COMMUNICATIONS.

For the Mississippian.

MR. CRIST: Since the late survey made upon the other side of the Mississippi, for the purpose of ascertaining the *exact* amount of fall upon the Rapids, it has been "proved to a demonstration," by all acquainted with works of that nature, that the creation of a water power of vast magnitude, is not only feasible, but that it can be accomplished with much less outlay and expense than had been supposed. And since it is possible that the power already created upon this side may turn out to be of "little or no account," at least to those who live upon the opposite side of the "Big Waters," I cannot but rejoice that pregarations are being made to commence operations upon the contemblated cut, or canal.

If I have been rightly informed, there *is* a fall of some 18 feet in about 15 miles, which is "enough and to spare" for all purposes in view. Indeed, I know not what they could do with more. And then the "heighth and depth, length and breadth" of the country adjacent, and over which the canal will pass, is admirably constructed and adapted to the purposes for which it will be wanted. It has been said that the expense of digging a race or canal, will be so great that a sufficient sum cannot be raised to accomplish the work. It may be so—but I am of a different opinion. If I recollect right, it was said that it would cost $10,000 to build a dam where the one now stands at the Moline mills; but upon experiment it was found to cost less than $3,000. So much for theory against practice. From an estimate which I have been put in possession of, I find that a canal may be dug through rock, similar to those upon the opposite side, for say $250 per rod—and that, allowing one half the distance over which the canal will pass to be rock, that part of it will cost only $300,000—(three hundred thousand dollars.) This sum at first may seem large; but when we take into consideration the advantages to be derived from the vast amount of power that will be created, and the extent of the country bordering upon that side of the river, who can say that it would be an unprofitable investment of capital? Suppose the avails realised from the whole work should not be sufficient to pay the interest upon the capital expended for thirty years, yet the time might come when its value would be beyond comprehension. Suppose the proprietor of the "Leclaire Hotel" had deferred building his excellent house, until the business of the town should have become suficient to warrant the undertaking, the consequences might have been that that gentleman would not have lived to look upon the noble edifice which now towers far above all other buildings in that town.

No time should be lost in the contemplated object. Should it be said that, in consequence of the scarcity of money, funds cannot be raised at this time, in the immediate vicinity, I would reply that it is not supposed that one or two, or even a dozen individuals will raise the necessary sum.—*When finished*, it will be a work of vast and incalculable importance and benefit to the whole country both above, below and beyond the Mississippi; and one of the advantages which that power will possess over those upon this side, is, that over-shot and flutter wheels can be used with advantage, while it is well known that we are confined almost exclusively to the *re-action* wheel. This is of no minor importance, since it cannot be contradicted that, *whenever the rise in the river is sufficient to back up the water below the dam to a level with that above, all power upon a re-action wheel is lost.* In such a time, a flutter wheel could be kept in motion, while ours would remain inactive and useless.

I do not mean to be understood that the Davenport water power will be superior to ours; but, to keep *pace* with the rapid growth of the country, and to give laborers employment, our neighbors cannot commence operations too soon. Let them raise a sum sufficient to *purchase the tools* for carrying on the work, and if the Mississippi continues to run down stream, instead of up, we shall see capitalists come forward, fork over their cash, and hitch on the

BIG TEAM.

For the Mississippian.

A question for the Lyceum or Literati of Rock Island, to wit: Is the thinking principle in man that organization of matter demonstrated the brain or does the brain think, feel, will and exert itself? If answered in the affirmative, a philosophical demonstration of the truth will be expected, which consists in making that truth result from certain axioms and incontestable definitions by a process in which each proposition is intuitive or self evident, so as to bring the matter within the comprehension of us common folks, and not place it beyond our views, in order to astonish and make us stare and wonder. Should the above question be answered in the negative, then what constitutes the mind, the thinking principle or reasoning faculties of man?

COMMON SENSE.

We understand that the Government engineers have completed a survey for letting the Missouri River into the Mississippi, about four miles above Alton, with a view of preventing this latter stream from taking a direction which might possibly make St. Louis *effectually an inland* town. We as a matter of course, have no objection to the channel of the Missouri being changed as contemplated, *provided* such a change will not entail upon us the very evil against which St. Louis is endeavoring to guard. We do not feel fully competent to express an opinion as to what wil be the effect upon our entire landing, should the views of the engineers who have made the survey be carried out, and the Missouri let into the Mississippi River above us. Those, however, in whose judgment we place great confidence assure us that, unless certain contingencies are provided for, the result of such a change in the coure of the Missouri, may prove disastrous in no extreme to our city. If these difficultie do exist, it behooves our citizens to move in this matter at once, and to place our Senators and Representatives in possession of all the facts that will enable them to act understandingly when the subject comes before Congress. We are informed that there is nothing to prevent such precautionay steps being taken on the part of Government, as will adequately protect our own city, while at the same time it will secure to St. Louis all that she asks, or that the engineers propose.

To this certainly no good objection can be interposed, and to it our citizens, and especially the property holders, should direct their attention.—*Alton Tl.*

15,000 BUSHELS of corn wanted by

J WHISLER.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

We are requested to give notice that the Rev Mr Davenport will preach at the Court house to morrow evening (Sunday) at early candle light.

☞ The Methodist denomination will commence a "two days protracted meeting" to-day (Saturday) which will be continued till after Christmas.

ROCK ISLAND MARKET.

Corrected Weekly

BY AINSWORTH & LYNDE.

Dec. 23, 1843.

WHEAT,	40 a 50	BARLEY,	25 a 31
FLOUR	$3 50 a $4	FEATHERS	35
WHITE BEANS,	37½	SALT, (Kn'w)pr. b.	50
FLAX SEED,	62½	do. (G. A.)	75
BEES WAX,	22 a 25	do. do pr sack	3 00
DRY HIDES,	7	PORK, over 200lb	2 00
GREEN, do	3	BEEF, (per lb.)	2c
CORN,	18	TALLOW,	8
CORN MEAL,	25	BUTTER,	10 a 12
OATS,	15	CHEESE,	6

CHICAGO Dec. 4.—The best samples of winter wheat bring to-day only 58 a 60 cts. For spring wheat from 45 a 50 is paid. Flour about $3 50. Corn remains at about 35 to 40. Oats 31; Flaxseed 87. Pork $1 50 to $3,00; Beef $3,00; Lard 6 cents.

WANTED.

DRY Beef Hides, Raccoon skins, Lynx, Wolf, Musk rat, Fox, Deer, Otter, and Wild cat skins, for which cash will be paid by

LEE & CHAMBERLAIN.

Rock Island, Dec. 23, 1843.

Going the Whole Hog

THE person or persons who shot a fat hog of the Subscriber, and put it into the river, a short time since, would do well to call and settle for the same, otherwise a suit will be instituted against them.

DANIEL STEPHENS.

Rock Island, Dec. 23, 1843.

Administrator's Notice

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Rock Island, } ss.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has taken out letters of Administration from the Probate Court of said County upon the Estate of *Samuel Smith*, late of the county of Desmoines, in the Territory of Iowa, and all persons having claims against said Estate, are notified to present them for adjustment and allowance at the Probate office of said county, in the town of Rock Island on the first Monday of February next; and all persons indebted to said Estate, are notified to make immediate payment to Harrison Boggess, of Rock Island, who is authorised by me to transact any business connected with said Estate.

JAMES DAVISON, *Adm'r*.

Rock Island, Ill., Dec. 2, 1843.—31—6w.

Administrator's Notice

STATE OF ILLINIS, County of Henry. } ss.

ALL persons having claims against the late Jonas Stone, of Geneseo, are requested and notified to attend a Court to be held at the office of the Probate Justice of said county, on the first Monday of February 1844 to adjust all claims against said estate preparatory to the liquidation and payment of the same; and also to enable him to ascertain whether the estate be insolvent or not.

(Signed) J. C. WOOD. *Adm'r.* SOPHIA STONE, *Adm'x.*

Geneseo, Nov. 1843.

Administrator's Notice

Of the Estate of Rev. John Montgomery, dec'd.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given, that on the 5th day of February next, I shall attend before the Probate, Justice of the Peace of Mercer county, Illinois, at his office in Millersburg, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of Rev. John Montgomery, late of said County, deceased; when and where all claimants are requested to present their demands for adjustment. All persons indebted to said Estate are also notified to make payment to the undersigned without delay.

THOMAS CANDOR,

Nov. 28, 1843.—31—6t $2 67. *Administrato*

Probate Court.

THE Subscriber has removed the Probate Office to his dwelling in the Upper Addition, where Probate and Justice business will be done, until warm weather, when the office will be in the Court House.

Regular Terms of Probate court, the first Monday in every month: Special terms, and Magistrate's Court every Saturday.—Truly grateful for past favors, the subscriber solicits a share of Justice patronage for the future. H. G. REYNOLDS.

Rock Island, Nov. 10, 1843-27tf.

Goods! New Goods!!

THE Subscribers respectfully inform their old friends and customers generally, that they are now on hand with the most extensive, best selected, and cheapest STOCK OF DRY GOODS,

HARD-WARE, GROCERIES, &c. &c. &c.

ever offered in this town; all of which they are determined to sell as low as the lowest for cash or produce. BAILY & BOYLE.

Rock Island, Nov. 2, '43—26.

WOOD!!! WOOD!!!!

WE would respectfully notify those who have promised us *wood*, that we are in want of it; and if they are as willing to fulfil as they were to make promises, we shall be supplied with an abundance of this indispensable article soon. Wood we must have or—*freeze*. Those concerned will, we hope, on seeing this friendly notice, supply our wants by fulfilling their engagements.

NEW
Fall and Winter Goods.

J. M. MOORE has just received a large assortment of seasonable goods,

IN PARTICULAR,

A large stock of English, French and American goods, consisting of cloths, cassimeres, cadet, beaver, pilot and felt cloths; sattinetts, sheeps gray, hardtimes, and linseys, with all the trimmings in great variety and of the latest styles.

Superior silk velvet, satin, figured silk, cashmeres and fancy vesting, new and rich patterns. For the ladies—English and French merinos, alpacca, lustre, black dress silk, crape de-laines, muslin de-laines, American, English and French prints, new styles, black ground mourning and half mourning prints, Domestic, Scotch and English ginghams, lady's cravats and neck hds, bonnets, silks of various patterns and qualities, a choice selection of fall and winter ribbons, artificial flowers and wreaths; ladies silk and kid gloves, silk and worsted mitts, black lace veils, bishop lawn, book mull swiss and jaconet muslins, linen cambric hdks, pongee, flag and fancy hdks., wool shawls, damask table linen, Scotch and Russia diaper, netting and figured bobinet for caps, Lisle lace and edgings, jaconett edging and inserting, silk fringe and worsted lace, Italian silk and alpaca luster cravats, red, white and green flannels cotton flannels, buck gloves and mitts, neck comforts, Mackinaw blankets, &c., a large assortment of combs, brown and bleached shirting, drill bed ticking, batting, wicking, white and black wadding, brown hollands, Irish linens, cotton fringe and gimps, cruel, and cotton floss: ladies black cashmere and lamb's wool hose, children's merino and lamb's wool stockings, child's Grecian boots and socks, &c.

A large assortment of Men and Boy's fur, cloth, velvet, and glazed caps.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Men's kip and thick boots, men's kip and coarse brogans, boys kip and coarse brogans, womens kip and calf boots and shoes, ladies gaiter boots and half gaiter, kid buskins, fine kid slips, gum shoes, Misses half gaiter and kid boots, childs morocco and leather boots, gents morocco pumps, &c. &c. &c.

A large assortment of Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, China and Glass ware, nails and glass.

Drugs, Dye-Stuffs and Medicines, &c. &c.

Dried Peaches and dried Apples, &c. &c. &c.

Much has been said about cheap, cheaper, cheapest goods, we request of our customers and those wishing to purchase for cash or produce to call and examine our stock, with the assurance that they will be sold unusually low, for cash or produce.

Rock Island, Nov. 2, 1843.

Ready for Winter.

ALL kinds of Woolen goods for Over Coats, Surtouts, Dress, Frock, and Short Coats, Roundabouts, Pants, Shirtings, Irish Linens, Stocks, Hat, Boots, Shoes, Pumps, Slippers, &c. A large variety of Merinoes, Cambleteens, Alpaccas, Orleans Cloth, Drape de Lyons, Bombazines, Lindseys, Scotch Ginghams, Hosiery, Thread & Silk Gloves, Bonnet Ribbonds, Silks, Laces, Edgings, Insertions, Muslins, Jaconetts, Striped and Plain 6-4 Cambrics, Waist Ribbonds, and Buckles, Combs. In fact comprising all that the Ladies enquire for in the way of Dress, for winter and Summer.

Calicoes at wholesale or retail, from 6¼ to 31¼ cents per yard, and we can safely say, cheaper than any other house will sell.

GROCERIES.—Sugar 8 cts, Coffee 10 cts. per pound, *Teas all kinds, warranted good.* Tobacco, Saleratus, Salt, Nails, and in fact, every thing you want in that line. Hardware and Cutlery, a very large lot, and of a superior quality. Queensware, we have more than all the other stores in Rock Island, (and some of them have good stocks of the article) Paints, Oil, Varnish, Whiting.

A large Lot of the best Sole Leather, at 25 cts per pound. An assortment of choice Liquors, from Monongahela to the 4th proof from —— the Custom House Key, and all warranted pure and safe to use in sickness. Tin ware.—Saddles and Bridles. Also, a good Buggy.

By the Peoples Agents,

AINSWORTH & LYNDE.

Money Saved!

BY calling soon and purchasing PINE and OAK

LUMBER,

at the Moline Mills, a good selection can be had, as we are cutting it out in large quantities, and in double quick time, for ready pay, cheaper than any white man can think of. Most any thing taken for pay, as others are glad to get most any thing of us; and in no case will

CASH

be refused, when freely offered, and for good Fall and Spring Wheat, we will give as good bargains as can be had in any market on the Mississippi River.

GOOD LOGS SAWED ON short notice and on reasonable terms.

Mechanics and Builders call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

D. B. SEARS.

Moline, Nov 1, 1843—27-tf.

WE EXPECTED IT!!

Pork, Pork, Pork!!

ARRANGEMENT is made, and the highest price paid for all pork weighing over 120 pounds brought before the 10th of January. We shall also pay as we did last year, a little more than others, for good *Winter or Spring Wheat* for the present. We buy as usual, all the Beeswax, Tallow, Dry and Green Hides, Corn, Oats, Beans, Butter, &c., that is offered.

N. B. Our goods shall be sold from 5 to 15 per cent. less than can be bought within 50 miles of Rock Island.

AINSWORTH & LYNDE.

TAKE NOTICE.

I SHALL prosecute all persons found trespassing on Geo. Davenport's land, near Rock Island and elsewhere. Persons have been in the habit of cutting wood and otherwise infringing on his lands.

They will be prosecuted to the extent of the law, if they continue to do so without authority.

BAILEY DAVENPORT.

Rock Island, Dec. 9, 1843.

Davison & Kellogg,

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, and
SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY,
Will Attend the Circuit Courts in Fulton Tazewell, Mason, Peoria, Woodford, Knox, Henry, Whiteside, Lee, Mercer and ROCK ISLAND Counties.
Office in Canton, Fulton County Illinois

E. H. BOWMAN, M. D.

OFFERS his professional services to the inhabitants of Rock Island and the surrounding country. Residence, on Orleans street, East of the American House.

MRS. CAROLINE SHEARER,

OF ROCK ISLAND, Offers her services as midwife, to any who think proper to call on her,

C. G. NEVITT. J. W. SCOTT.
C. G. NEVITT, & Co.
FORWARDING & COMMISSION
Merchants, Albany, Illinois.
Will pay strict attention to all business intrusted to their care.
Albany, Aug. 19, 1843.—22tf.

John Holt,
STEAM AND
KEEL BOAT
Builder,
Rock Island, R. I. Co., Ills.

R H Kinney,

WATCHMAKER
AND
JEWELLER.
ILLINOIS STREET, Rock Island.
KEEPS constantly on hand Watches, Jewelry and fancy wares, which he will sell on the most reasonable terms for ready pay.
April 21, 1842. ytf

Leather.

HARNESS Leather,
Skirting do
Bridle do
Sole do
Upper do
for sale by BAILEY & BOYLE.
Rock Island, Dec. 24 1842.

CAPS! CAPS!! CAPS!!!
FUR, Cloth, Velvet and Plush Caps to by had at BAILY & BOYL'S.
Nov. 2, '43.—26.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
FOR sale by BAILY & BOYL.
Nov. 2, 1843.—26.

SALT! SALT!!
150 BARRELS, Kanawha Salt at 50 cents per bushel, by
Nov. 2, '43—26 BAILY & BOYLE.

DRIED Apples and Peaches for sale low at WHISLERS.

SALT. Kanawha, ground allum & Liverpool blown, for sale low at WHISLERS.

Flour! Flour!! Flour!!!

SUPERFINE Flour for sale at WHISLERS for $3 50 per barrel
Rock-Island Jan. 12. 1843.

BUFFALO Robes for sale by E. WHISLER.

2 CASES Superfine hats for sale by E WHISLER.

WANTED.
222 BEEF and Calf hides by E. WHISLER.
Feb. 11.

5000 BUSAELS Flaxseed wanted by E WHISLER.

5000 BUSHELS of Wheat wanted by the subscriber, for which he will give the highest market price in goods. E. WHISLER.

Pork! Pork!! Pork!!!

WANTED by the subscriber, E. WHISLER.

BARLEY, Rye, and White Beans wanted by E WHISLER.

BLANKS for sale at this Office

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber either by note or book accounts, are hereby notified, that unless they come forward and settle the same, on or before the 10th day of January next, their notes and accounts will be placed in the hands of a proper officer for collection. To make it easy for those who wish to settle up and have not the ready cash, I propose to take any thing that I can turn to discharge any demands that my creditors have against me, such as Wheat, Oats, Corn, Barley, Hides, Tallow, and Lard, in payment. Be sure and remember the stated time, for longer indulgence will not be given.
ISRAEL SHOUDY,
Rock Island, Nov. 11, 1843.

Now it's Out.

S. H. TENNEY,

HAS commenced carrying on the tailoring business in Rock Island, Rock Island county Ill., one door south of Buford's store, on Buffalo street. Where all kinds of Work in his line can be done as neat and fashionable style, as any other place in the Western country. I take the responsibility, all work insured to fit, OR NO PAY; so Gentlemen don't be backward, but walk up and examine for yourselves. S. H. TENNEY,
P. S. All kinds of farmer's produce wanted in exchange for work. S. H. T.

"Duck or no Dinner."

I, DANIEL STEPHENS, Tailor, Rock Island, issue this my proclamation, That I still carry on the Tailoring business at the old stand, on Illinois street, where work will be made in the neatest style, for ready pay, such as Cash, Wheat, Corn, Oats, Wood, Beef and Pork,—and Potatoes too.

Moore & Figons,

TAILORS—Illinois Street, two doors west of the Rock Island House; Where all kinds of work will be done in the neatest style, cheap, for ready money.
Rock Island, April 13, 1842.

TAYLOR'S
NEW YORK STORE!
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
First Brick Store from the Post Office.
DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY & HARDWARE,

AN extensive assortment direct from N. York City, entirely new and fresh. The following articles are included in the assortment, now offered at prices that cannot fail to please,

GROCERIES &c.,

Y. H Tea, from 25 cents to $1,	Nutmegs.
	Sugar.
Coffee.	Indigo.
Starch.	Tobacco.
Madder.	Salt.
Saleratus, 5 cents per lb., &c. &c.	

DRY-GOODS.

Broad Cloths,	Cashmeres.
Flannels,	Satinets.
Shirtings.	Figured and plain Merinos.
Calicos.	
Kentucky Jeans.	Chusans, a new article for ladies' dresses.
Plain and fig'd silks.	
Fine sewing silk.	
Sheetings.	Spool Cotton Thread, &c

HARDWARE,

Table Knives and Forks, Locks, Hinges, Chisels, Screws, Bolts, Coffee Mills, Shoemakers' Tools, Shovels, Spades and Forks, Bed Cords, Shoes, Tacks, Axes, &c. &c.

CROCKERY,

Granite and Yellow fireproof ware. Tea pots, Fancy painted Teas, Molasses Jugs, Pitchers, &c. &c.
Also—A full assortment of
MEN'S, WOMEN'S, AND CHILDREN'S
BOOT & SHOES,
of the best quality, with an extensive assortment of
CLOTHING,
of all kinds, and a full assortment of Men's Boys'
HATS AND WINTER CAPS.
Wanted.—WHEAT, FLAX-SEED BEES'-WAX AND PORK, *at Cash Prices.*
Nov. 4, 1843.

COME, COME,

All ye jovial Farmers,
To Whislers we will go,
And to Whislers we will go, go, go,
And to Whislers we will go.
His goods to see and him to view,
To Whislers we will go, &c.

JUST received in time, per Steamer New Brazil, a large and general assortment of FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
Consisting in part, of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hard WARE, BOOTS AND SHOES,
AS FOLLOWS:
11 Cass Dry Goods; 5 Bales of Sheeting and Shirtings; 1 Bale Drillings; 4 Bales Cotton Batton; 2 Bales Candle Wicking;—6 bales cotton yarn; 4 hogsbead brown sugar; 2 barrels loaf sugar; 5 bbls. Molasses; 5 chests Tea; 14 sacks coffee; 2 boxes honey dew tobacco; 3 boxes Kentucky tobacco; 2 boxes smoking do; 10 boxes mould candles; 3 do. sperm do.; 2 barrels saleratus; 3 crates and 2 hogheads queensware; 25 kegs nails; 2 cases assortment of hardware; 5 cases men's thick boots; 2 do. mens kip, do; 1 do. do. fine calf do; 2 do do. thick bragan shoes; 2 do. do kip do do; 5 do. womens, boys and children do. and a good assortment of Dyestuff, &c. &c.
All of which are well selected and are now opened for inspection, and will be sold low for cash or exchanged for country produce, by E. WHISLER,
Rock Island, Nov. 10, 1843-27
☞Farmers and others we ask you to give Whisler a call, for Whisler, is WHISLIN. to-day and to-morrow, and when you have done so, you can *whistle* without sorrow. ☜.

D. B. SEARS,

HAS lately received a small but cheap and well assorted stock of
Dry Goods & Groceries,
AT MOLINE,
which he offers to those wishing to buy in exchange for Fall and Spring wheat, as cheap as any of the cheapest, Whisler's first in Town not excepted. Call at Moline and see us.
Moline, Nov. 1, 1843.—27-tf

Now you Know,

THAT the subscriber can be found at his Ware room, East side of the public Square, in Spencer's and Case's addition to the town of Rock Island, where he intends continually to keep on hand all articles in his line, or to make to order all kinds of furniture, as cheap,
(Not to say Cheaper,)
than his neighbor. No use to state prices. Why? because I have sold Furniture so low lately that I couldn't figure it,—don't understand fractions well enough. Gentlemen, don't be alarmed, he will take in exchange all kinds of produce in payment for any of his wares, at your own
FIGURING,
provided, you don't make your fractions beyond the market price.
If any person, through age or infirmities, should find it difficult to ascend a pair of stairs, they will be assisted by their humble servant, C. B. KNOX.
WANTED—Immediately—A boy from 16 to 17 years of age, of industrious habits, as an apprentice to the above business, one that can come well recommended, good encouragement will will be given. None other need apply. C. B. K.
Rock Island, Nov. 11, 1843—27-tf.

Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned & Joseph Johnston and between the undersigned Joseph Johnston & Wm. Derrickson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to settle their accounts immediately with Joseph Johnston, and all having demands against said firm are requested to present the same for settlement,
N. McBRIDE.
Rock Island, June 23th 1843.
THE undersigned thankful for former favors respectfully inform the public that they intend carrying on their former business at the old stand; will be happy to accommodate their old customers, and the public with any articles they may want in their line.
JOSEPH JOHNSTON.
Wm. DERRICKSON.

Rock Island
CARRIAGE, SLEIGH, BUGGY, & WAGON ESTABLISHMENT.

THE undersigned would return his thanks to his customers for their patronage hitherto, and would give notice that he has established himself permanently in Rock Island, and is prepared to manufacture to order any article in his line of business, with despatch, and in a neat and workmanlike manner. Being a pratical workman, he can assure his friends, that the best kind and qualities of timber and materials will be selected for his shop. He will work as *cheap*, and furnish articles as *low*, as are afforded at Chicago; and lumber, and all kinds of produce taken at fair prices, and cash will in no case be refused.
His shop is situated a few steps above the Rock Island House, in the Upper Addition, on the corner of Illinois and Washington streets, opposite the Ferry, and adjoining a carriage ironing shop. Gentlemen please call and examine for yourselves.
N. B. All kinds of repairing, carefully and promptly attended to.
C. F. SWARTWOUT.
Rock Island, Ill. Nov 6, 1843.—27-6m

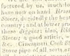
Furniture! Furniture!!

CHA'S. D. TROWBRIDGE
CABINET MAKER.
ROCK ISLAND, ILL.
GRATEFUL for the past liberality of a generous public, would give information through the Press—the only sure guarantee to make his merits and the merits of his wares known to the public for the patronage of his
MATCHLESS FURNITURE,
which he contines to manufacture at his shop one door east of the
AMERICAN HOUSE,
in the town of Rock Island, such as
BUREAUS AND SIDEBOARDS]
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
TABLES AND STANDS
OF EVERY VARIETY,
just the articles that citizens and farmers want, which I will sell lower than ever before known for CASH, or exchange for produce at fair prices. I also continue manufacturing all kinds of work in my line of business agreeable to order, as cheap as any other shop in the state.
CHARLES D. TROWBRIDGE.
Rock Island, Feb. 24, 1843.—8 6m.

SADDLE & HARNESS Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully returns thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore received, and he hereby informs his customers and the public generally, that he still continues to carry on the above business, in all its branches, at his old stand on Illinois street, one door west of the
ROCK ISLAND HOUSE,
where he will be found ready and willing at all times to attend to any business in his line. He has now on hand
Trunks, Saddles, Bridles
AND
MARTINGALES,
ALSO,
SINGLE AND DOUBLE HARNESS.
which he will sell at
CHICAGO PRICES
for ready cash, or approved produce. Persons wishing to purchase any article in the above line, will do well to give him a call and examine for themselves.
J. SAILOR.
WANTED.
By J. Sailor, any quantity of Dry or Green Hides, calf, deer, and sheep skins, for which the highest price will be paid.
Feb 18, 1843.

WHAT, HO!
More Stoves! More Tinware!!



THE subscribers would inform the citizens of Rock Island County and vicinity, that they have recently opened a TIN WARE and STOVE PIPE MANUFACTORY, at their old stand in Rock Island, where they intend keeping a good assortment of *Cooking* and *Heating Stoves, Tin Ware, Stove Pipe, &c. &c.*
We are also enabled to sell articles manufactured by us, much lower than usual. We have now on hand *Reser's Cincinnati Cooking Stoves*, decidedly the best pattern in the western country; and at lower prices than ever offered in these *diggins*: also, *Ridge & Co's patent Cook Stoves*; a good article, with cast hollow were. &c. Cincinnati *Cook Stoves*, a new pattern. Stove pipe of all sorts and kinds. Tin ware of all descriptions, manufactured by *ourselves*—which enables us to *sell* from 5 to 10 per cent lower at wholesale or retail than can be had at any establishment in St. Louis. Persons who now wish to speculate in the article (tin ware) will do well to call and see us before *all* others. The subscribers will take in exchange for anything they have for sale; Wheat, Corn, Oats, dry Hides, Deer skins, Coon skins, and all kind of furs, old Copper, Brass, old Pewter and Rags, Cash and Cigars.
Come on customers if you want to get your tin things soldred, *one at a time* will last the longer. *Stand back*, there is a cash customer! Come in gent's and see us.
LEE & CHAMBERLIN.
June 17.

ELLISVILLE
COACH, BUGGY, WAGON,
CARRIAGE
AND SLEIGH
Manufactory.

THE subscriber takes this method to inform his friends and the public in general, that he carries on the above business in the flourishing town of ELLISVILLE, Fulton county, Illinois. He always is prepared to make to order and generally has on hand Carriages, Coaches, Giggs, Sulkies, Buggies, Waggons, Sleighs and all other pleasure carriages in plain or fashionable style, manufactured of the best materials by good workmen. All kinds of work in his line of business done with neatness and despatch. His long practical knowledge enables him to do his work in a manner creditable to his establishment, which is, without boasting, the LARGEST and most extensive in the MILITARY TRACT! He also spares no pains in the selection of the best timber, and other materials. Persons wishing to purchase any of the above articles, will do well by giving him a call, and judging for themselves. He will sell cheap for cash, or take country produce, in exchange for work, at the market price.
GEORGE CRIST.
N. B. Persons at the north wishing to purchase any of the above mentioned vehicles, can be accommodated at any time by making their wishes known at the office of the "Mississippian," where there will be one or more constantly on hand for sale. G. C.
Ellisville, January 2d 1843.

PETERS' PILLS,
TRUTH HAS PREVAILED.

PETER'S VEGETABLE PILLS have now been ten years before the public. During that period they have obtained a celebrity unparalelled in the history of the most popular medicines which preceded them or have followed in their track. The happy combination of vegetable ingrediants, to which these Pills owe their efficacy, is the result of years of earnest study and experiment, directed by long previous experience in the properties of medicinal substances, the pathology of disease, the nature and *modus operandi*, of the various fluids which minister to the support and sustenance of the human body, and the organization by which those fluids are prepared, modified and distributed. The triumph of skill and patient experiment hast been complete. Throught the whole length and breadth of our land, in British America, England, the West Indies, and on the continent of Europe, the curative virtues of Peter's vegetable Pills, are gratefully acknowledged. They may be called the medicine par excellence of the Southern States. Their consumption south of the Potomac, is enormous, and continually on the increase. No other pill "goes down" there, however sugared over with hired puffs, and some manufactured certificates.
PETERS' VEGETABLE PILLS,
may by termed a *universal medicine*, for there is scarcely any derangement or obstruction of the organs and functions of the human machine which they will not alleviate or remove when administered in the early stages of congestion of the stomach or bowels, they speedily relax those organs, reduce the attendant fever, and restore the sufferer to health. Containing no irritating or drastic substances, their exibition is never followed by that prostration of the bodily powers which characterizes the operation of most other cathartics, and they may be administered without the slightest fear of producing the local inflamation so frequently caused by the purgent compositions vended by the quacks and chalatans of the day.
In almost all stages of diseases PETER'S VEGETABLE PILLS, will be found of beneficial effect, but they should always be resorted to when the first symptoms of disease makes its appearance. The conquest of the complaint will then be easy, and immediate. In billious disorders, remittent and intermitent fevers, dyspepsia, dysentary, cholera, cholic, diarrhea dropsy, sour or filted eruptions, enlargement of the spleen, sick head ache, all complaints growing out of imperfect or too rapid digestion, torpor of the bowels, female obstructions, habitual costiveness, and all other diseases in which a purgative medicine is proper, Peter's Vegetable Pills will be found unrivalled in the speed, certainty and gentleness of their operation.
It is asked upon what principle these extraordinary effects are produced? We reply that Peter's vegetable Pill acts upon the blood, by purifying the chyle and other fluids of which blood is composed. Chyle is a milky fluid deposited by the digested matter on the coates of the intestines, and which, when combined with the biliary secretion, is conveyed into the veins and becomes the principle of life. This medicine acts directly upon the chyle, from which it expels all acrid particles, and all humors detrimental to a healthy circulation. It cleanses the juices and fluids before the chemical change takes place which fits them for the immediate purposes of vitality. This is beginning at the beginning. To embue the streams of life with health, it is necessary to purify them at their sources.
Such is the radical mode in which this medicine performs its cures. Testimonials which would fill volumes (many of them from high scientific authority) are its vouchers, and it is used i the practice of the first Physicians, here and abroad.
In the early months of Spring, when the animal and vegetable worlds are alike influenced by the change of season, aperient medicines are specially beneficial. One dose of Peter's vegetable Pills taken at this season, may save hundreds of dollars in Doctor's bills, during the approaching heats of summer. Be wise in time. "Preserve and regulate" now, now, that you may not have to contend with disease in its fiercest forms hereafter.
Are you subject to pain in the stomach, or bowels, after eating, accompanied by depression of spirits, and an indisposition to active employment of body or mind—shooting pains in the back and limbs—uneasiness in the region of liver and kidneys—cold feet—faintness and trembling after strong exercise; in short, have you any of the sensations which denote a derangement of the digestive or secretive functions, and consequently an impure state of the blood? If so, and you value health, take Peter's Vegetable Pills, and insure the restoration of that invaluable blessing.
For sale in this place by Bailey & Boye, J. M. Moore, and William Young.
Sept. 14-1843.

SHERMAN'S
Medicated Lozenges.

THESE celebrated Lozenges are now offered to the Citizens of Rock Island and the West as the best preparations (for the cure of the diseases for which they are recommended) the proprietor, Dr. Sherman, is a regular graduate of medicine, a member of the medical society of the city and county of New York, and these Lozenges are prepared from medical descriptions which have been approved by the most celebrated physicians in that city; in addition to which they are prepared in so pleasant a manner that children eat them with avidity and cry for more. They consist of
COUGH LOZENGES,
Which are the safest and most effectual remedy for Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Whooping Cough, Asthma, &c, ever offered to the public. They opperate by promoting expectoration, allaying the irritation of Coughing, and removing the cause of the disease
WORM LOZENGES.
The only infalable Worm medicine ever discovered. In over 300,000 cases they have never been known to fail. Many diseases arise from worms and occasion long and intense suffering and even death, without their even being suspected; grown persons are often affected with them, and are doctored for other complaints, without any benefit, when a dose of these Lozenges would remove them.
CAMPHOR LOZENGES,
For nervous or sick head ache palpitation of the heart, lassitue and nervous affections generally. Persons travelling or attending large parties will find the Lozenges really reviving, and imparting the buoyancy of youth—used after dissipation, they will restore the tone of the system generally, and remove all the unpleasant symptoms arising from too free living
CATHARTIC LOZENGES,
The best cathartic medicine for removing bile from the system and preventing attacks of the billious and intermittent fever of this section of the country.
FEVER AND AGUE LOZENGES.
These Lozenges have been tested by celebrated physicians of a practice of twenty years, and have never been known to fail in removing this distressing disease. In addition to which, if the directions be followed, the disease will not return.

SHERMAN'S
POOR MAN'S PLASTER.
This Plaster, of which over 1,000,000 are sold yearly, is believed to be the best plaster for rheumatism, umbago, pain in the back, side, breast or any other part of the body ever prepared, and its price only 12½ cents, brings it within the reach of every person in the community.
☞A large supply of these celebrated articles just received and for sale by
BAILEY & BOYLE,
Sole agents for Rock Island.
Sept. 13, 1843. 1y20

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

DR. BAILEY of Washington city has at length discovered a certain cure for Corns. This medicine is warranted to cure in the short space of fifteen minutes, without pain or danger to the patient. For sale by C. D. & John Baxter, Rock Island, only agents for Rock Island county.
THOMAS W. WHITTEMORE,
Travelling Agent.
Rock Island, July 1, 1843.